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For: GENE ENCODING PROTEIN FROM MEROZOITE OF BABESIA
CABALLI, RECOMBINANT PROTEIN OBTAINED WITH SAID
GENE AND USE THEREOF

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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July 22, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 22, 2003, the period for response having been extended three months to expire on July 22, 2003, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace line 1 on page 20 so that it reads:

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